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COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

School Days Are Here Again

A strong partnership For Adults Too

Yellow buses will become a familiar sight in Tacoma with the signing of a new contract for transporting students. Drivers must be alert to the flashing lights and the "stop paddle" that will be activated each time the bus stops. By law, traffic in both directions must stop when the paddle is out. .

Tacoma schools are opening, even for adults. Registration is now open for persons who want to take advantage of the adult education classes which will begin Sept. 15 at Lincoln High School. The registration fee for each class per semester is $15 for those who are not attending regular high school during the day. High school students who want to take a class will be charged $55 per class per semester. Registration is being held weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m at the Central Administration Building, South 8th and Tacoma Avenue; between 6 and 8:30 p.m. Sept 12 and between 5:30 and 8 p.m. Sept. 15 and 19 at Lincoln High School, 701 South 37th.

BUS PASSES

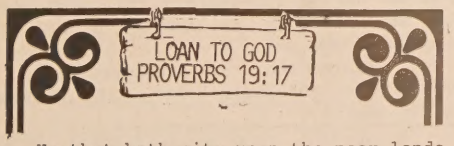
Free bus passes to be used on ARA (yellow) or Pierce Transit buses will be issued, upon written application, to pupils who live beyond walking distances from schools they attend. Walking distances have been designated as follows: Grades kindergarten through 3 - less than one mile. Grades 4 through 6 - less than 1.2 miles. Grades 7 through 12 - less than 2 miles. The most reasonalbe, direct walking route to school shall be used in defining each of the above distances. Hazardous walking conditions will be considered.

COMMUNITY SCHOOL PROGRAM

Many schools in Tacoma don't close after the students leave in the afternoon. The City of Tacoma's Department of Human Development, in cooperation with the school district, offers a community school program at the following schools: larchmont, McCarver, Northeast Tacoma, and Washington elementaries; Baker, Gault, Gray, Mason, Meeker, and Stewart junior highs. Most activities are free and provide programs for children, teens, adults, and senior citizens. Classes and activities include aerobics, cooking, calligraphy, open gym, woodshop, kindergym, gardening, photography, and many more.

September 8th through September 29th

Kittredge Gallery, University of Puget Sound Campus
Law Center Foyer, University of Puget Sound School of Law



He that hath pity upon the poor lende th unto the LORD: And that which he hath given will pay him again.

Support HOLY TRINITY TEMPLE CLOTHING BANK FOR THE NEEDY by sending your clothing donations and expenses contribu tion of $1 or more in C/O The Tacoma Facts, P.O. Box 5017, Tacoma, WA. 98405. Supported by private contribut ions.

A tax deductable receipt will be given from the Clothing Bank of Holy Trinity Temple C.O.G.I.C. at 1016 South 10th Street, Tacoma, WA. 98405.

The Clothing Bank opens TUESDAY & THURSDAYS ONLY at 5 P.M. The entrance/ side door. Call for information at 627-5862. VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED.

FROM THE DESK OF THE PUBLISHER
BISHOP D.L. BROOKS

Wash. State Prelate Of The Churches Of God In Christ Renews Nuptial Vows

40 Years Of Love

By Rosa Brooks-Staff Writer/Editor

On Sat., August 27, 1983 at approx. 3:30 in the afternoon, Bishop T.L. WestBrooks, WA. State Prelate of the Churches of God In Christ renewed his marriage vows of 40 yrs. ago with Mrs. Lois WestBrook.

The bride was stunning. fully attired in white with a matching hat, and veil. The groom also looked handsome, decked out in grey tux.

Serving as best man was Thomas Westbrooks Jr. In attendance were Jacqueline Mitchell, Charlotte G. Westbrook, Cheryl I. Westbrooks, and Dabree S. Westbrook.

Matrons of Honor were Evelyn R. Frazier, and Glenda L. Witherspoon.

The ceremony was performed by Bishop G. Ross, International Secretary of the Churches of God In Christ, from Oakland California. Soloists were Beverly Perryman, Jean McGraw, and Neal Jones, Musician, Jean McGraw.

Murder In The Sky

By Millie Garmon-Staff Writer

Japan and the Republic of Korea have confirmed to the World Community that the Soviet Union shot down an unarmed commercial airliner This act of barbarity claimed 269 lives, over 30 of these victims were Americans.

Robert Jones, President of Washington State Farm Bureau expressed his displeasure and suggested an international approach to this outlawry. He further stated, if the Soviets cannot abide by international rules of the air, then they should be denied landing priviledges in other countries. Jones added, American farmers and ranchers are neither so lacking in human decency, nor so mercenary to not support our Government. However; unilateral action on the part of the United States, such as a grain embargo, is not effective form of retaliation.

On Friday, Sept.2,1983, the official Soviet News Agency, Tass; in Moscow, responded to charges that Soviet fighter planes shot down the Kal 747. Tass says the 747 pilot ignored warning shots and failed to make contact with them. Nations around the world condemn the attack, while President Reagan accuses Moscow of "openly lying" and distorting the truth.

Love And Brotherhood

The Ebony Nurses Association of Tacoma, which is primarily a Black Nurses Association designed to help build high esteem and personal worth in future constituents of our community.

Many hours are spent raising funds to help minorities in nursing school. In the past food baskets have been given to needy families and senior citizen.

The President Lucille Jackson, along with others, stated that their goals are flexible and can be used in any useful manner that would be a postive reflection on our society.

The organization recently presented a complete back to school outfit to an appreciative student, Paul Huerta.

This is a volunteer effort on the part of the Ebony Nurses Association- and as they stated" "To emphasize a chain of love and brotherhood".

LUCILLE JACKSON_PRESIDENT.
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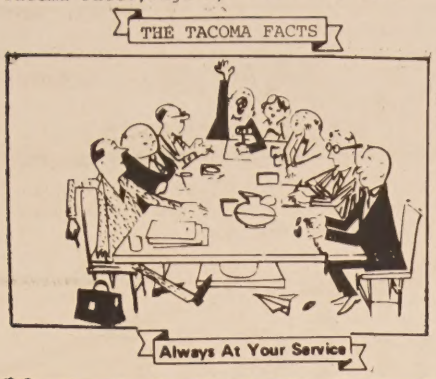

The Tacoma Facts welcomes all views from readers and letters should be kept as brief as possible or a subject of condensation.

Deadline for new articles is Wednesday noon, and classified advertising Tuesday 5 p.m. Black and white photos ONLY and all copies should be typed or printed.

Free notary services are also available at the Facts.

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Display Of Challenged Books

The McCormick Branch of the Tacoma Public Library is displaying books that have been challenged or banned during the past year through out National Banned Books Weeks.
Sept.10-17. Most of these books are not uncommon, but are considered dangerous or objectionable by individuals or pressure groups who would deny others access to theme.

Banned Book Week is cosponsored by American Booksellers Association, American Library Association, National Association of College Stores. Association of American Publishers, American Society of Journalists and Authors and is endorsed by the Center for the book of the library of Congress.

Women United Seeks Members

WA. Women United is actively seeking members who wish to join a statewide network dedicated to achieving equality for all people.

The primary purpose of the group is to lobby the WA. State Legislatue on issues of concern to women. The organization provides a professional lobbyist who issues legislative updates during legislative sessions, monitors legislative positions, and identifies issues and bills before the legislature.

For information, contact WA. Women United, P.O. Box 2174, Olympia, WA 98507. Phone: 754-9880.

Mt. Sinai Church

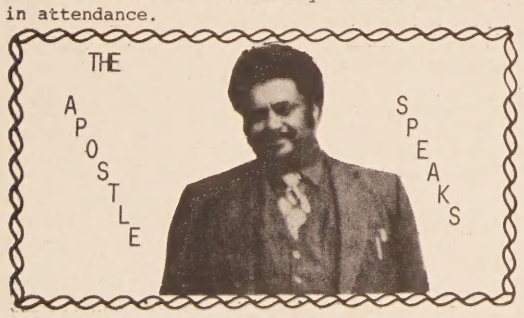
10830 OLD MILITARY ROAD S.W.
TACOMA, WASH. 98409

The members of Mt. Sinai Baptist Church will observe the fourth Appreciation Service for their pastor and wife, Reverend and Mrs. Charlie S. Price. Service will be held on Sept. 15-18,1983

True Vine Community Church, Choir,Ushers, & Pastor will be in attendance.

The Rev. Leo Brown will bring the Sermon.

The Public is cordially invited to be in attendance.



HAVE YOU BELIEVED OUR REPORT?
SERIES #23 ISAIAH 53:1&2

Who hath believed our report? and to whom is the arm of the Lord revealed?

For he shall grow up before him as a tender plant, and as a root out a dry ground:

He hath no form nor comeliness: and when we shall see him,there is no beauty that we should desire him.

WORDS OF WISDOM
PROVERBS 3RD CHAPTER,VERSES 1-10.

My son forget not my law; but let thine heart keep my commandments:
For length of days and long life and peace shall they add to thee. Let not mercy and trust forsake thee: bind theme about thy neck write them upon the table of thine heart.
So shall thou fine favor and good understaning. In all thy ways ackwledge him and he shall direct thy paths.
be not wise in thine own eyes fear the Lord, and depart from evil.
It shall be health to thy navel, and marrow to thy bones.
Honor the Lord with thy substance, and with the firstfruits of all thine increase:
So shall thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst put with new wine.

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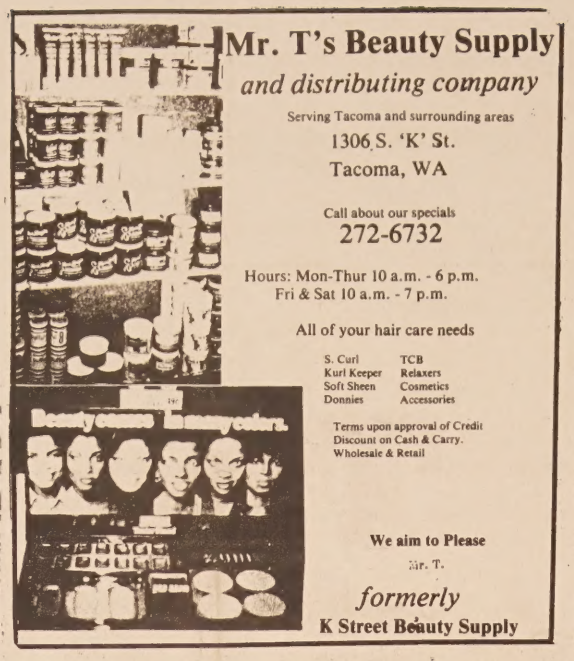

What's Happening

MIGHTY CLOUDS OF JOY
PLUS EXCITING SOUNDS OF JOY
Sept. 24th, 1983 7:00 P.M.
Wilson H.S. Auditorium
1202 N. Orchard-Tacoma

For more information, contact: Chester Roger, 2328 South J, 383-5142
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475-0990
Purchase Tickets in Advance
STAR RECORD
1814 South K
272-6632
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Total $10.00
Tickets $11.00

Hospital Ball Near

"Up, Up and Away" has been chosen as the theme for the eighth annual St. Joseph Hospital Ball to be held on Saturday, November 5th, in the Bicentennial Pavilion.

Proceeds from this year's ball will go toward the purchase of eye surgery equipment for use in the hospital's Outpatient Surgery Center.

Ball tickets will go on sale in late September for $125 per couple and my be purchased at the hospital in the Community Relations office. Call 591-6730 for information.

All Veterans

Eligible veterans are reminded that they haveten years from the date of last discharge (but not later than December 31, 1989) to take advantage of the many programs available in the GI Bill. Among these are appreticeship or on-the job training, tutorial assistance, and a work-study program, under which veterans enrolled as full-time students may perform services and receive an additional allowance.

Veterans needing more information about GI Bill or their eligibility for it are encouraged to contact the nearest VA regional office or a service officer from one of the national veterans organizations. You can also dial VA toll-free.

New Tabloid Magazine

Fiction Etc, A Contemporary Collection, a new northwest tabloid magazine to be first published this fall in the Puget Sound area, is reviewing, for publication, Short Stories, Novellas, and Plays from northwest writers.

The guidelines for the fiction accepted by the publication will be quality, excellence, and sincerity in writing contemporary, literary, humor, drama, satire, historical, science fiction, ethnic, romance or mystery.

The purpose of Fiction Etc is to entertain the readers of the northwest as well as provide a voice for the writers.

Writers may submit their complete manuscripts with a Self Addressed Stamped Envelope to Fiction Etc, P.O. Box 4054, Pioneer Square Station, Seattle, WA 98104.

PRISONER'S CORNER

Submitted by- Ross Furlow.

IN AN EFFORT TO KEEP OUR READERS INFORMED, TACOMA FACTS WILL BE PUBLISHING PRISONER'S CORNER, A WEEKLY ARTICLE FROM THE PRISONERS THEMSELVES, HOWEVER THE OPINIONS ARE NOT NECCESSARILY THOSE OF THE PUBLISHER.

RACISM & PRISON

CONTINUE FROM LAST WEEK

The complexities of the racism which permeates the criminal justice system are often contradictory as well.

It is only too easy to unwittingly fuel such racism. the publics's often legitimate fear of crime has been sensationalized to distortion which all to often has been used to thinly veil racist fears.

Similarly, the traditional desire of a victimized population is to have the penalty for crime increased.

The underlying motive is that danger or longer and harsher sentence will force society to take certain crimes more seriously: crimes involving racist and religious violence, and crimes against women. yet the punishment raley reflects the crime, rather it suits the alleged criminal.

Such sentences continue to be applied disproportionately against the poor and person of color- the undesirables of society.

In this issue of the "The Tacoma Facts", we have published a wide spectrum of articles which begin to confront and analyze the underlying issues of the intertwined roles that prison and racist play in Wash. State. and U.S. society.

We(Black-Prisoners) hope that such thinking will remain an intergral part of yours and ours(Black prisoner's and Black community) ongoing work for a moratorium on all disproporti nate treatment of Black's and other minorities within Washington State Prison System, as well as all prison contruction.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ARE WELCOME IN RESPONSE TO THESE ARTICLES.
YOUR RESPONSE IS NEEDED, SO LET US HERE FROM YOU.
ADDRESS LETTERS TO :PRISONER"S CORNER IN CARE OF TACOMA FACTS 1401 SOUTH 11th STREET.
TACOMA, WASH.98405.

Revival

Evangelist Terry Whitfield of Seattle and San Franscisco will be conducting a Revival at the HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL NATIONS BEGINNING Sept. 11-17,1983 located at 3543 McKinley Avenue beginning at 7:30 p.m.

The public is invited to attend these services.

Rev. P. William is the Pastor. you may contact Pastor William for more information at 627-6386.

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Senior Citizens Day

Third Annual Senior Citizen's Day will be held at the Greater Christ Temple Church 1926 S. G St., on Sunday, September 11, 1983.

Guest speaker for the day will be Rev. Nathaniel Davis of Bethel Christian Church of Seattle. All Senior Citizens in the surrounding community are invited to attend.

Service will began at 10:45 a.m. and dinner will be served immediately following service in the church's fellowship hall. (There will be no charge)

For information, or transportation, call 272-5679 or 964-2043. Rev. C.E. Montgomery is our pastor.

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Workshop

On September 15th, from 1:30-3:30pm. the EORC will be sponsoring a workshop etitled, "Careers in the Animal Kingsom". A panel will discuss zoo careers, dog grooming, horse farriery, veterinaian assisting, and obedience training oppotunities.

There is a $2.00 registration fee. Call 572-5960 for details

New Child Care Center

A limited number of positions are currently available for enrollment of children at the St. Joseph Hospital Child Care Center.

The recently opened center is located at 809 South 18th street, near St. Joseph Hospital.

It is sponsored by the HOSPITAL volunteer department and is staffed by professional early childhood specialists.

The center was created to meet the child care needs of the hospital employees and families of Pierce County .

The Hours are from 6:30 a.m.to 6:30 p.m. the enrollment fee provides a hot meal, programs of developmental activities.

Current openings are for children, ages 2 1/2 through kindergarten. early enrollment is recommended. call 591-6739.

Infant Massage

Parents with infants ages three through seven weeks can participate in Fort Steilacoom Community College's Community Service class called "Infant Massage".

information call, 964-6633

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Amount		Chances of Winning	Prizes	Chances of Winning
1 Free Ticket	1:	10	(1) Grand Prize-$1,000 a week for life (minimum of $1,000,000, guaranteed to the winner or to his/her estate. Paid at $1,000 per week, starting at age 18.)	1:45,000,000
$ 2	1:	13.3		
$ 5	1:	40	(1) 2nd Prize-$500,000 ($20,000 a year for ten years, guaranteed to the winner or to his/her estate.)	1:45,000,000
$ 50	1:	2,000		
$ 1,000	1:	48,000	(1) 3rd Prize-$200,000 ($20,000 a year for ten years, guaranteed to the winner or to his/her estate.)	1:45,000,000
$ 25,000	1:	480,000	(1) 4th Prize-$75,000 cash	1:45,000,000
There is no exemption from Federal Income Tax for Washington State Lottery Prizes. You must be 18 or older to purchase Lottery tickets.			(2) 5th Prizes-$50,000 cash	1:22,500,000
			(4) 6th Prizes-$25,000 cash	1:11,250,000

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New Identification Project

A new child identification project to deal with the problem of missing children in the Puget Sound area has been developed with the help of Pepsi, Pay'n Save and King Broadcasting.

The "Pepsi Junior Challenger I.D. Card" program, endorsed by several local police departments, has been designed to aid authorities in locating the thousands of children who disappear each year. The program will provide parents with up-to-date identification materials which, in the event of an emergency, can be turned over the authorities.

Between now and September 25, the "Pepsi Junior Challenger I.D. Card" machines will be at specified Pay'n Save stores in King and Pierce Counties. Children, 12-years-old or younger, will receive a wallet-size card which includes their picture, fingerprint and other vital statistics. A larger card with identical information will be given to parents to keep on file at home.

If a child is reported missing, this card is to be given to the police or other agencies involved in locating the child.

Pierce Transit

Pierce Transit's Board of Commissioner has scheduled two public meetings to discuss possible fare increases for 1984. The meeting will be conducted September 19, at 4 p.m. in the 10th floor of the County-City building at 930 Tacoma Ave. So.

Pierce Transit's Commisioners and staff will be present to answer questions and listen to comments about the proposed fare increase.

An interpreter for the deaf will be provided at both public meetings if requested five days in advance.

Survival Skills

Bellevue Community College, Seattle University, and the Small Business Administration are offering a course teaching survival skills for women business owners. Classes will start Sept. 14, at Bellevue Community College and Septemer 21 at Seattle University. Class times are 8:30 AM - 1:00 PM for 7 weeks (Wed.)

For further information, please call Bellevue Community College, 641-2955 or Seattle University, 627-6626.

Schools 1st Football Game

Tacoma Dome's first football action is slated for 7:15 p.m. Friday, Sept. 9, when Bellarmine, Foss, Lincoln, Mount Tacoma, Stadium, and wilson High Schools kick off the 41st Annual Grid-Go-Round sponsored by the Tacoma Athletic Commission

The city's six high school bands will provide a musical introduction to the '83 football season beginning at 6:45 pm.

WARNING: JESUS IS COMING SOON

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YPWW.....6:30 P.M.
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Pastor Apostle Bishop D. Brooks
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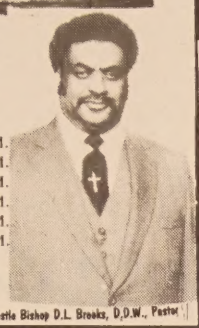

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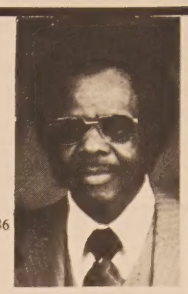

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1107 South 21st
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475-8993 - 475-1467
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Evening Service.....8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible.....8:00 p.m.
Friday Worship.....8:00 p.m.
Marriage and Family Counseling

Bishop Robert Edwards, Pastor

NEW COVENANT PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE
2156 So. K Street
Sunday School.....9:30 A.M.
Sunday Worship.....11:00 A.M.
Wednesday Eve.....7:30 P.M.
Friday-YPCW.....7:30 P.M.
Tuesday Services at Evergreen Chapel,
Ft.Lewis.....7:30 P.M.
Evangelist Mrs. E. E. Travis

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Church School.....9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship.....10:55 A.M.
Wednesday Bible Study.....7 P.M.
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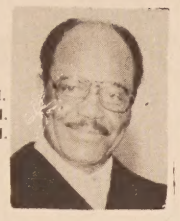

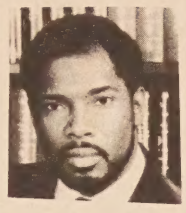

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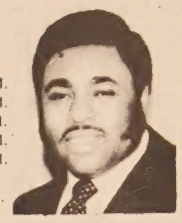

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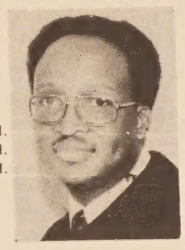
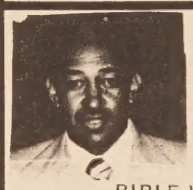
Worship Services.....11 A.M.,7:30 P.M.
Office 272-3309
Rev. F. D. Bullock, Pastor





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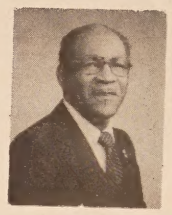

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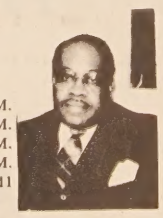

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But thy O LOrd, art most high for evermore.
For lo thine enemies O Lord, for low thine enemies shall perish; all the workers of iniquity shall be scattered.
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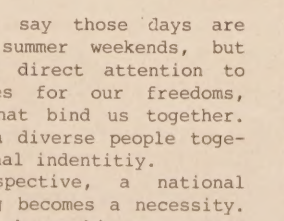

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Tony Brown's Comments

83 March, Marches Backwards

The recent March on Wash. failed because it was a Democratic Party political Rally and not a call to self-reliance of Black Americans to defeat racism with group power under the direction of Leaders capable of focusing on reality.

Moreover, this 1983 version proved the majority of nationally known Black Leaders do not understand the basic problems of Afro-Americans and consquently, do not have an intelligent approach to solving it.

Martin Luther King, the honoree of the outpouring of this year's rhetorical-boilerplate, warned us 20 years ago that the ultimate barrier to a first vlass American experience is economic deprivation. it doesn't take an advanced degree in economics to understand that the solution is the economic development of the nation's 30million member African-Americn Community based on self help.

John Jacob, president of the National Urban League, prophetically warned us that the march would lose the forcus of Black problems. while half of the Black children in American live in broken homes headed by single parent and more than half are born out of wedlock to teenage girls.

This demonstration forcus on what President Regan is not during for Blacks instead of what Blacks must do to stablize our family structure.

But speaker after speaker, appealing to the overwhelming anti- Regan sentiment among Blacks, beat already dead horse to death. at least Jessie Jackson had the common sense to promote himself while doing so.

More than $3 million wa spent on rented buses from white companies; those more affluent black prehaps anothe million dollars with white airlines,matched by an additional million in white restaurant and hotels.

It is apparent who profited from this march of 250,000.

After 20 years, Blackgoing to Wash. to"keep the dream alive" still refuse to dream of the power and affluence that, if recycled, would make a reality out of a pipedream.

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TO BE EQUAL

By John Jacobs

The House of Representatives has passed a bill that would make Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday a federal holiday. There's a good chance the bill will be approved by the Senate and even signed into law by a President currently trying to refurbish his image among minorities.

In contrast to past attempts to honor Dr. King, support for the proposal is coming from people occupying all points of the political spectrum as well as from the civil rights and black community that have long been pressing for such a measure.

Still, there is plenty of opposition. Many of the arguments against a holiday honoring Dr. King are specious. They are transparent attempts to hide the true reasons for opposing a King Day -- refusal to honor a black person and opposition to racial equality.

Much, for example is made of the supposed cost of such a holiday. The Administration initially suggested the cost of another federal holiday would be excessive and the Wall Street Journal editorialized about the loss of productivity of workers "idled" by another holidav.

That won't hold water. A Congressional Budget Office analysis estimates that the cost would be minimal --some say it would be less than the Pentagon spends on paper clips. Anyway, the meaning of such a holiday transcends narrow costs analyses that don't take into account the beneficial aspects of a King Day.

The real issue is not cost but the meainig of naitonal holidays. Special days like July 4 or Memorial Day symbolize the nation's deepest ideals. They aim at uniting all Americans behing those ideals.

It would be easy to say those days are just excuses for long summer weekends, but that's not true. They direct attention to our pasts, to sacrifices for our freedoms, and to the principles that bind us together. Naitonal holidays bring a diverse people together by reinforcing naitonal indentitiy.

Seen from that perspective, a national holiday honoring Dr. King becomes a necessity. There are ample reasons to honor his as a great man, as the leader of a powerful movement that helped black people. make great strides, and as the symbol of black people's contributions to America.

But perhaps even more important is the fact that a King Day would buttress the principle that undergrid American democracy and ideals.

As a rormer opponent of the plan to honor Dr. King, Rep. Jack Kemp, now says in support of a King holiday: "the American revolution will not be complete until we commemorate the civil rights revolution."

That's because the ideals of the American Revolution -- liberty and equality -- were often grossly ignored until the civil rights revolution of the 1960's. Barely twenty years ago this was a country of officially segregated facilities, officialy sanctioned violations of civil rights, and officially institutionalized racism.

The movement led by Dr. King helped sweep away the shameful reservation of liberty and equality for whites only, and it unleashed a powerful moral surge that transofrmed America. Honoring Dr. King would also honor the nation's strides toward a more just society fulfilling its national ideals and aspirations.

It would constitute powerful symbolism that would have tremedous meaning not only for black people, whose vital contributions to America have never been acknowledged, but for all minorities and for white Americans who understand we are a pluralistic society whose ethnic and racial aiversity is a central factor in our greatness.

But as much as it would celebrate ideals and past achievements, a King holiday would also focus national attention on the uncompleted ideal of racial equality. It would be an annual reminder that the principles Dr. King symbolized are yet to be fulfilled. A King holiday would be an important indicator of national resolve to fulfill those principles and make ours a society of equals.

Secretary of Housing and Urban Development samuel R. Pierce, Jr., today told the National Asociation of Real Estate Brokers that voluntary efforts alone "cannot effectively comat the unworthy and too-often subtle" practice of housing discrimination.

"I have been working on the initiative since taking office as Secretary of HUD," he said, adding, "I am proud that the amendments we propose keep the burden of enforcement where it belongs: on the Federal Government, rather than the individual victim."

Under the proposal, HUD will investigate and attempt to conciliate a complaint filed by an individual. If the conciliation effort fails, the Department would be authorized to refer the complaint to the Justice Department with a recommendation that the Attorney General commence a District Court action for equitable relief or civil penalty. The proposal authorizes a civil penalty of up to $50,000 for a first ofense, and up to $100,000 for a second offense.

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Senator John Glenn

U.S. Senator John Glenn, today salute? the 20th Anniversary of the March on WA. and called for President Reagan, Attorney General William French Smith and Assistant Attorney General for Civil Rights, William Bradford Reynolds, to demonstrate a serious commitment to voting rights.

The Ohio senator said he has written a letter to Smith and Reynolds, calling for a strengthened effort in guarding against abuses and irregularities in upcoming primary and general elections. The letter also urges action to prevent intimidation of citizens attempting to register.

"For my part, I have today directed my supporters to aid voter registration drives," said Glenn. We expect to be active in raising funds for this very important effort. We must be certain that all American citizens are permitted to exercise their franchise."

Glenn said: "We must all demonstrate our commitments today by action to asusre rights for all." The senator also urged passage of the bill making the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. a national holiday, and said he would work to override a veto if necessary to make it law.

Seattle Urban League

Entry forms are now being accepted to Seattle Urban League's Minority Art Exhibition scheduled for November 11-18, 1983. In its seventh year, this annual event features minority artists from around the Pacific Northwest in the areas of sculpture, painting, graphics, photography and drawings. No entry fee is requied.

To obtain forms, or information, call the Seattle Urban League, 447-3792

Volunteers Needed

A workshop that will train volunteers to teach reading to adults will be conducted by the TAcoma Area Literacy Councili. Training will take place from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Sept. 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, and 23 at First Congregational Church, North J St. and Division AVe.

Volunteers will learn to teach either functionally illiterate or non-English speaking adults. Both native-born and foreign-born potential students are waiting for tutors.

Pre-registration by telephone is required The LIteracy Council's office number is 272-2471. There is a registration fee of $5; tutors books costing $2;50 to $6.50 will be available at the workshop.

Antique Dealers Collection

A total of 20 antique dealers from Wa. Oregon and Idaho will display their collections during the fourth annual antique show and sale being sponsored by the Lakewood General Hospital Auxiliary Sep.13 and 14 at Fort Steilacoom Community College in Tacoma.

Hours of the event will be 11a.m. to 9:p.m. Sept. 13 and 10:a.m. to 6p.m. on Sept. 14, 1983.

PLU Recital

Kathlene Vaught Farner, French Horn, will open the Pacific Lutheran University recital seson Tuesday, Sept. 13 at 8:p.m.in the Eastvold Auditorium on campus.

Farner, a PLU faculty member , will perform works by Poulence, Hindemith, Schmid, Bozza, Beethoven, and Franz Strauss.

She will be accompanied by Richard Farner, Piano

Admission is free. for more information call 535-7457.

Illuminating Singers

Curlie Evans and the Illuminating touch singers will be in concert. Sept. 10,1983,7:p.m. at te Greater Harvest Baptist Church located at 1202 So. "G" St. Tacoma, Wash.

For Your Information

Energy Auditor Training Workshops

Energy Auditor Training Workshops will be held at Everett Community college, September 13-15, 1983 and at Wash. State University Joint Graduate Center, Richland, September 20-22, 1983

For Information call Windy Welch.at (206) 754-0786.

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For copies contact Riley Dunlop, Dept. of Rural Sociology, Wash. State University, Pullman, WAsh. 99164-4006.

Ceramic Lessons

Ceramic lessons for adults are offered Monday thru Thursday and Friday is reserved for firing.

Come at your convenience on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday between 9 am. and 5pm., on Thursday from 9 am. to 2pm., or on Tuesday evening between 6 and 9 pm. No advance registration is required.

People's Community Center is located at 1602 S. K St., for information call 591-5322.

Children's Theatre

An orientation meeting for volunteers will be held at Ponho Children's Theatre on Sunday, September 18 at 7:30 pm.

Persons interested in technical, administrative, concessions and ushering should plan on attending the meeting.

Call 633-4591 for further information.

Library

The McComick Branch of the Tacoma PUblic Library will offer four classes in beginning calligraphy for interested persons.

The dates of the calligraphy classes for beginners are Tuesday, Sept. 27, Oct. 4, 11, and 18. Sign-up is requied. People attending will need to bring their own pen and ink. A Speedball C-1 is recommended, and any dark, washable ink. Interested persons can call 591-5640 or visit McCormick Branch at 3722 N. 26th St.

Management Courses

A stress management course, open to the public, will be offered by Group Health Cooperative's Center for Health Promotion. The course begins September 19, and runs through October 24. All classes are held on Mondays from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Tacoma Specialty Center, 124 Tacoma Avenue.

Designed to help individuals assess their own stress levels, the weekly classses will teach practical techniques for identifying and reducing tension and anxiety. In addition, the interrelationship of lifestyle, environment, mental attitude, stress and disease will be explored.

Space is limited, so pre-registration is required. For fee information and registration, call the Tacoma Medical Center at 383-6100, and ask for Seattle extension 7103.

Mason Clinic 4th Ave. Opens

The Mason Clinic announced today the opening of Mason Clinic-Fourth Avenue, a new health care facility for downtown Seattle. Located at 1221 Fourth Avenue in the Unigard Financial Center, the clinic is desingned to meet the health care needs of Seattle's downtown working population.

"Our goal is to provide downtown employees with equality and convenient health care that will minimize their time away from work," said Dr. roger Lindeman, Mason Clinic chairman. The new clinic will provide treatment for minor illnesses and injuries, as well as pre-employment and return to work exams. Laboratory and x-ray services, inoculations, and women's health care will also be featured at the Fourth Avenue site. patients can be seen on a walk-in basis or by scheduled appointment, Dr. Lindeman noted.

Fall Classes

More than 130 classes 23 subject areas are offered during late afternoons and evenings this fall at Pacific Lutheran University, according to PLU registra Charles Nelson.

Classes begin Sept. 7 with registration continuing through Sept. 20. Further information is available by calling the PLU Registrar's Office, 535-7131.

Planned Parenthood

Planned parenthood ot Pierce County, along with Tacoma Community School Program will host a series of facts(Families Actively Communicating Together about Sexuality) Workshops.

Registration dates are Sept. 12th and 14 at Meeker; Sept.12 and 15th at Steward; Sept.12 and 15 at Gault and Baker; and Sept, 14 at McCarver.

For more information, call Carol Mathewson, Tacoma Community School Program, at 591-5064.

Seattle Opera Expands Hours

Seattle Opera's Single Ticket Office will expand its hours to include Sat.,Sept. 17,24, amd Oct.1st. from 10 a.m. untill 2:p.m. to accodate sales of the Marriage Figaro .

It will open Sept. 24, starring Metropollitan artist John Readon and Elenor Berguist.

Ticket Office is open Mon. thru Fri. from 10a.m. untill 4:p.m..